

Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, is authorized to secure, through rental, lease, or other appropriate agreement, storage space in areas within the District of Columbia and its environs beyond the boundaries of the United States Capitol Grounds for use of the United States Senate, the United States House of Representatives, and the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, under such terms and conditions as such Commission and committee may authorize, and to incur any necessary incidental expenses in connection therewith.

(Pub. L. 93-180, §1, Dec. 13, 1973, 87 Stat. 704.)

#### SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in section 166e of this title.

### § 166e. Funds out of Contingent Expenses, Architect of Capitol

Any expenditures required to implement the provisions of section 166d of this title shall be paid from the appropriation "Contingent Expenses, Architect of the Capitol" and any funds appropriated under this head shall hereafter be available for such purpose.

(Pub. L. 93-180, §2, Dec. 13, 1973, 87 Stat. 705.)

### § 166f. Funds out of Capitol Buildings, Architect of Capitol

On and after October 18, 1986, the Architect of the Capitol may incur expenses authorized by section 166d of this title to be paid from the appropriation "Capitol Buildings, Architect of the Capitol".

(Pub. L. 99-500, §101(j), Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783-287, and Pub. L. 99-591, §101(j), Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341-287, as amended Pub. L. 100-71, title I, July 11, 1987, 101 Stat. 425.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section is based on the words "to hereafter incur expenses authorized by the Act of December 13, 1973 (87 Stat. 704)" appearing under heading "Architect of the Capitol" and subheading "Capitol Buildings" contained in H.R. 5203 (see House Report 99-805 as filed in the House on Aug. 15, 1986), as incorporated by reference in section 101(j) of Pub. L. 99-500 and Pub. L. 99-591, as amended by Pub. L. 100-71, to be effective as if enacted into law.

### § 166g. Expenses for flying American flags and providing certification services therefor

On and after November 19, 1995, expenses, based on full cost recovery, for flying American flags and providing certification services therefor shall be advanced or reimbursed upon request of the Architect of the Capitol, and amounts so received shall be deposited into the Treasury.

(Pub. L. 104-53, title I, Nov. 19, 1995, 109 Stat. 528.)

### § 167. Lighting, heating, and ventilating House of Representatives

The electrician, together with everything pertaining to the electrical machinery and apparatus, and the ventilation and heating of the House of Representatives, and all laborers and others connected with the lighting, heating, and

ventilating thereof, shall be subject exclusively to the orders, and in all respects under the direction, of the Architect of the Capitol, subject to the control of the Speaker; and no removal or appointment shall be made except with his approval. And all engineers and others who are engaged in heating and ventilating the House shall be subject to the orders, and in all respects under the direction, of the Architect of the Capitol, subject to the control of the Speaker; and no removal or appointment shall be made except with his approval.

(Mar. 3, 1877, ch. 105, 19 Stat. 348; Mar. 3, 1881, ch. 130, §1, 21 Stat. 388.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section, except the words "and the ventilating and heating of the House of Representatives," is based on act Mar. 3, 1881, popularly known as the "Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Appropriation Act". The excepted words were based on act Mar. 3, 1877, popularly known as the "Sundry Civil Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1878".

#### CHANGE OF NAME

Change of name of Architect of the Capitol, functions abolished, transferred, etc., by prior acts, see Codification and Prior Provisions notes set out under section 161 of this title.

#### CROSS REFERENCES

Vacancies occurring in force operating Capitol power plant and substations to be filled by Architect of the Capitol with approval of commission in charge of House Office Building, see section 185 of this title.

### § 167a. Repealed. Pub. L. 90-417, July 23, 1968, 82 Stat. 407

Section, act July 9, 1952, ch. 598, title I, 66 Stat. 473, directed Architect of Capitol to maintain service for House of Representatives after daily adjournment.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Pub. L. 90-417 provided that after June 30, 1968, provisions of section 167a shall no longer be applicable.

### § 168. Heating and ventilating Senate wing

All engineers and others who are engaged in heating and ventilating the Senate wing of the Capitol shall be subject to the orders and in all respects under the direction of the Architect of the Capitol, subject to the approval of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration.

(July 11, 1888, ch. 615, 25 Stat. 258; Aug. 2, 1946, ch. 753, title I, §102, title II, §224, 60 Stat. 814, 838.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section is based on act July 11, 1888, popularly known as the "Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Appropriation Act July 11, 1888, fiscal year 1889".

#### AMENDMENTS

1946—Act Aug. 2, 1946, substituted "Committee on Rules and Administration" for "Committee on Rules".

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1946 AMENDMENT

Section 142 of act Aug. 2, 1946, provided that section 102 of that act shall take effect on Jan. 2, 1947, and section 245 of that act provided that section 224 thereof shall "take effect on the day on which the Eightieth Congress convenes". The Eightieth Congress convened on Jan. 3, 1947.

## CROSS REFERENCES

Vacancies occurring in force operating Capitol power plant and substations to be filled by Architect of Capitol with approval of commission in charge of House Office Building, see section 185 of this title.

**§ 168a. Repealed. Oct. 31, 1951, ch. 654, § 3(16), 65 Stat. 708**

Section, act June 6, 1900, ch. 791, 31 Stat. 612, provided that fuel be delivered to the two wings of Capitol only during hours and under regulations as Architect of Capitol prescribes.

**§ 169. Furniture for House of Representatives**

The Architect of the Capitol shall supervise and direct the care and repair of all furniture in the Hall, cloakrooms, lobby, committee rooms, and offices of the House, and all furniture required for the House of Representatives or for any of its committee rooms or offices shall be procured on designs and specifications made or approved by the said Architect.

(Apr. 28, 1902, ch. 594, 32 Stat. 125.)

## CODIFICATION

Section is based on act Apr. 28, 1902, popularly known as the "Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1903".

## CHANGE OF NAME

Change of name of the Architect of the Capitol, functions abolished, transferred, etc., by prior acts, see Codification and Prior Provisions notes set out under section 161 of this title.

**§ 170. Purchase of furniture or carpets for House or Senate**

No furniture or carpets for either House shall be purchased without the written order of the chairman of the Committee on Rules and Administration, for the Senate, or without the written order of the chairman of the Committee on House Administration for the House.

(R.S. § 1816; Aug. 2, 1946, ch. 753, title I, §§ 102, 121, title II, § 224, 60 Stat. 814, 822, 838.)

## CODIFICATION

R.S. § 1816 derived from Res. Apr. 16, 1862, No. 28, 12 Stat. 617; acts Mar. 30, 1867, ch. 24, § 2, 15 Stat. 13; July 20, 1868, ch. 177, § 1, 15 Stat. 115; Mar. 3, 1869, ch. 121, § 1, 15 Stat. 283, 284; Mar. 3, 1871, ch. 114, § 1, 16 Stat. 500; Aug. 15, 1876, ch. 287, 19 Stat. 147.

## AMENDMENTS

1946—Act Aug. 2, 1946, §§ 102, 224, substituted "Committee on Rules and Administration" for "Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate"; and section 121 of that act and section 224 thereof, substituted "Committee on House Administration" for "Committee on Accounts of the House of Representatives".

## CHANGE OF NAME

Committee on House Administration of House of Representatives treated as referring to Committee on House Oversight of House of Representatives by section 1(a) of Pub. L. 104-14, set out as a note preceding section 21 of Title 2, The Congress.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1946 AMENDMENT

Section 142 of act Aug. 2, 1946, provided that sections 102 and 121 of that act shall take effect on Jan. 2, 1947,

and section 245 of that act provided that section 224 thereof shall "take effect on the day on which the Eightieth Congress convenes". The Eightieth Congress convened on Jan. 3, 1947.

**§ 170a. Transferred**

## CODIFICATION

Section, Pub. L. 97-276, § 101(e), Oct. 2, 1982, 96 Stat. 1189, which related to disposition of receipts from sale of used or surplus furniture and furnishings of Senate, was transferred to section 117b-1 of Title 2, The Congress.

**§ 171. Transfer of discontinued apparatus to other branches**

The Architect of the Capitol may transfer apparatus, appliances, equipments, and supplies of any kind, discontinued or permanently out of service, to other branches of the service of the United States, or District of Columbia, whenever, in his judgment the interests of the Government service may require it.

(June 26, 1912, ch. 182, § 11, 37 Stat. 184; Mar. 3, 1921, ch. 124, 41 Stat. 1291; May 29, 1928, ch. 901, § 1(120), 45 Stat. 995; Oct. 31, 1951, ch. 654, § 3(17), 65 Stat. 708.)

## CODIFICATION

Section is based on act June 26, 1912, popularly known as the "District of Columbia Appropriation Act June 26, 1912, fiscal year 1913".

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

Act Mar. 2, 1911, ch. 192, § 9, 36 Stat. 1011.

## AMENDMENTS

1951—Act Oct. 31, 1951, struck out "with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior," after "whenever,".

1928—Act May 29, 1928, struck out provision that required a transfer statement to be submitted in the annual report to Congress by the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds.

## CHANGE OF NAME

Change of name of Architect of the Capitol, functions abolished, transferred, etc., by prior acts, see Codification and Prior Provisions notes set out under section 161 of this title.

## CROSS REFERENCES

Federal Property and Administrative Services of 1949, exemption of Architect of Capitol from provisions of, see section 474 of this title.

**§ 172. Repealed. Oct. 31, 1951, ch. 654, § 3(18), 65 Stat. 709**

Section, act July 16, 1914, ch. 141, 38 Stat. 458, related to custodianship of the building or buildings on reservation numbered 13 in the District of Columbia selected for the purpose of storing unused documents and materials removed from the Capitol Building and Senate and House Office Buildings, and Patent Office models removed from the Senate and House Office Buildings.

**§ 173. Estimates for improvements in grounds**

All changes and improvements in the Capitol grounds, including approaches to the Capitol, shall be estimated for in detail, showing what modifications are proposed and the estimate cost of the same.

(Mar. 3, 1883, ch. 143, 22 Stat. 621.)